

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace paragraph [0065] beginning at page 19, with the following amended paragraph:

The desktop UI 166 based on the analyzer tool can look similar to the web application 164 because of the unified business query view 118 provided by the [[date]] data abstraction layer 106. Thus, the UI data presentation layer 108 can guarantee an identical look and feel for all web-based applications for operational reporting, and a common look and feel for both web applications 164 and desktop applications 166. This is achieved by the operational reporting architecture 100 that allows maximum reuse for all involved components. Further, once an operational reporting application is available in the enterprise portal cache, the HTML output is directly transferred back to the web browser without the need to make a call to the BW system again, unless the displayed data has changed.